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GOVERNOR HITS THEM HARD

Denounces the Many Falsehoods Sent Out by Certain Newspapers.

Tells of the Purpose of these Falsehoods.

Gov. Taylor has given out the following statement:

"For weeks I have been made the target of vilification by certain unprincipled newspapers in Kentucky. The vilest insinuations have been made and the most outrageous falsehoods have been told. When I was called to attend the funeral of a beloved brother, it was seized upon as an attempt my part to fly from justice. Again, when called to my home by reason of the death of a dear sister, the fountains of abuse were opened and a flood of falsehood and slander poured forth upon me, the charge again being made that I was attempting to fly from the State.

"On my last return to Frankfort the Louisville Times hastens to publish the statement that I was met at the train and escorted to my home by a squad of soldiers with a Gatling gun. There is not one word of truth in this statement, but nevertheless it is published and circulated to harm me.

"Not content with this infamous, ghoulish work, which, with unblushing audacity has followed me to the grave of my brother and sister, even the privacy of my family has been invaded, and because my wife drew from the bank some money with which to pay the soldiers an attempt was made to impress the people that she, too, was preparing to fly.

"Once, and for all, I desire to say, that neither directly nor indirectly had I any connection with the assassination of Senator Goebel. I am citizen of this State amenable to its laws. I am not a criminal, neither shall I ever be a fugitive from justice. Whenever indicted, if such an outrage should be committed, I shall appear for trial, conscious of my innocence and of the ultimate triumph of right and justice.

"The whole purpose of this persecution has been, and is, to drive me from my post of duty and to punish me for holding the office to which I have been fairly elected. Such a surrender I have not made, nor will I make it unless the highest court of this land should adjudicate that I do so.

W. S. TAYLOR."

The Disfranchised South.

Some of the Republican newspapers of the north are solemnly discussing the approaching election in the state of Louisiana as though anything whatever in that connection had "been left to chance," as though its result were not already fixed and the vote as good as counted. They are wasting energy that might better be saved for more profitable business. The oligarchy which now dominates the state of Louisiana has gotten cleverly away from the old klux methods and is operating this year under a new constitution, a document of its own framing, a charter of government that nullifies citizenship and makes a farce of the formality of holding elections. The suffrage clause of the present constitution of Louisiana requires that in order to vote a man must be able to read and write, or pay taxes upon \$200 worth of property, or be a descendant of a man who voted before the war for the Union. It was framed for the express purpose

of disfranchising the negroes, but it also furnishes opportunity for the arbitrary elimination of the votes of other persons as well, through fraudulent manipulation of the election boards. It is not so clever an instrument for the overthrow of popular government as is the Goebel law in Kentucky, and no sensible observer of the trend of southern politics believes that the result of the election to be held in Louisiana one week from today is in any sort of doubt.

It is true, as the Philadelphia Press says, that there is a fusion ticket in the field headed by the son of United States Senator Caffery for governor and supported by a large number of influential whites, and that Senator Caffery is himself on the stump making speeches in favor of this ticket. But this protest against government by the oligarchy will be unavailing, no matter how many actual votes it may command, just as the tremendous anti-Goebel majority in Kentucky was ineffective to keep Goebel out of the governorship in this state. The counting of the votes in Louisiana next Tuesday will be under the exclusive control of the present governor, and all the machinery of the election is operated under his personal direction. What will it avail the Cafferys to win their cause before the people? How can they fare better than Taylor in Kentucky, whose certified majority over Goebel was about three thousand, yet who has not the ghost of a chance to be governor of the state except by judgment of the supreme court of the United States?

The truth is that the Caffery democrats of Louisiana, like the Brown democrats of Kentucky are waging a hopeless fight against government by oligarchy so long as they conduct it under the existing laws and within the borders of their respective states. They are playing directly into the hands of the revolutionists, for they are standing doggedly and resolutely in the way of the reform that is possible through federal intervention alone. There will be no fair elections in the south until congress shall enact legislation compelling them. The single hope of relief from disfranchisement lies in federal legislation, and the southern democrats who protest against the existing order of things need surely not the poorly informed republican newspapers of the north.—Commercial.

The Decision of the Court of Appeals.

We have not seen the opinion of the majority of the Court of Appeals prepared by Judge Hobson nor the concurring opinions by Judges Burnam and Guffy, nor the dissenting opinions by Judge DuRelle; but only know that the judgment of Judge Field has been affirmed by a vote of six to one. No one has ever doubted the affirmance of that judgment. The concurrence of Judges Burnam and Guffy was not expected. Weeks ago we predicted that the journals of the Legislature would be "fixed" to appear all right, and then it would be claimed that the courts could not go behind those falsified journals. There is undoubtedly a line of decisions which hold that in certain cases the journals of the legislative bodies import a verity which the courts cannot attack. We did not then believe, we do not now believe that those cases are pertinent to this controversy. This was not a legislative act; it was not the enactment of the law. And those cases apply to such acts of the Legislature. Before

there can be a journal of the proceedings of a body there must be a meeting of that body. It was denied that the Legislature was in session when these journals said it was. It seems to us absurd that no meeting can prove the journal and the journal prove there was a meeting. There must be a journal before its verity or contents can be the subject of inquiry; before the rule invoked can apply. It was denied that these were journals of the two Houses.

The courts must take judicial knowledge of sessions of the Legislature; and when courts take judicial knowledge of any fact they use all means—history, documentary evidence and whatever other means are necessary to ascertain the facts. The journals stated that at a certain named time the bodies met in the Capitol building. The court knew judicially and personally that this was untrue; for the court and the members individually declined to sit in that building; refused to hold court therein because it was occupied by the military. So this anomalous condition exists; the court knows

sanctify the acts of both by solemn decisions that in Kentucky it is not the truth but the recitals that give title and elect officers.—Lexington Herald.

Riches of the Philippines.

The Pittsburgh Dispatch observes that the forests of the Philippines are, no doubt, richer than their gold mines. The fact that natives bring in gold from the interior is an indication of extremely valuable deposits. The Indians of North and South America were found in possession of gold and silver, yet they had knowledge of the really rich deposits of these minerals—deposits which the white man afterward discovered. The forests are real.

Mahogany, rosewood and other fine-grained timber are plentiful in the forests of the Philippines. These woods are so abundant they are commonly used for flooring and to some extent for railroad ties, though the sawing and planing are all done by hand. No doubt the introduction of machinery will make an important hardwood industry in Luzon. But the existence of hardwood forests does not necessarily imply

The Dewey Folly.

How could Dewey get himself before the people as a candidate? He confesses that he is a Democrat, but the Democratic party will not touch him. Of course as innocent as he is of the practices of parties and of the elemental customs of politics, he knows he has no chance to be mentioned either this year or any other year in a Republican national convention. How, then, are those political admirers of him, whom he supposes to number hundreds of thousands, going to get a chance to vote for him? The Republican and Democratic nominations are determined beforehand in this particular case, one faction of the Populists are reasonably certain to declare for Bryan, and thus to fuse with the Democracy, while a radical element of the Populists put up Wharton Barker for President a year or two ago, and the Social Democrats have placed Debs in the field.

Only two partisan elements remain whose action is still in any way undetermined. These are the "middle-of-the-road" Populists and the Prohibitionists. Is there any chance that either of these parties would take up Dewey? Would the Admiral accept the candidacy of either of them? There still remains the chance of getting an independent candidacy. But what value would a nomination of this sort? Dewey says he is a Democrat, but he does not tell how he stands on anything. The fact that he declares himself to be a Democrat is not calculated to help him with the "middle-of-the-road" men, who hate the designation Democrat as deeply as a large number of the voters of the United States hated the name Federalist in the Hartford convention days. Nor will his Democratic learnings help the Admiral with the Prohibitionists.

The fact is, this Dewey outbreak is the most absurd irritation which has taken place in politics since the days when George Francis Train used to periodically announce himself a candidate for the Presidency, or since the old times when Daniel Pratt, the "great American traveler," harangued amused crowds regarding the frauds by which he was shut out of the White House.

It is into the Pratt and Train category which Dewey's candidacy will drop, no matter what the regard the people of the United States may be for the Admiral as a fighter and as a man. The career of no man who has ever figured with any prominence in American history has had such a pathetic anti-climax as that which Dewey is threatened. The persons whose vanity and folly are responsible for the pitiful spectacle which a patriotic and noble hearted but deluded old man is making of himself before the world deserve the severest reproof which the American people can pronounce.—Globe-Democrat.

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Seventy-Fifth Anniversary.

On Saturday, April 7th, a number of friends of Charles H. McFadden were invited to his home in Barnesville, the occasion being the 75th anniversary of his birthday. It was a pleasure to make the visit and see the enjoyment of Mr. McFadden and his wife and son in having good friends attend them to partake of the hospitality.

Several of the Burlington friends of Mr. McFadden were among his guests, and the arrangement for entertainment by the host and hostess reminded one of the visitors, an Eastern man, of the "good cheer" of the old-fashioned "hog-killing" gatherings of Christmas week in New Jersey, while the Kentucky visitors exclaimed, "a real log rolling table."

The tables were loaded until they groaned under the weight of "good things"—meats were done to a turn, vegetables deliciously cooked, pastry deliciously baked, while the collection of cake was a feast of itself—corn bread in Kentucky style, beans and canned delicacies from the good wife's larder, made up a feast the most exacting appetites would rejoice to partake of and satisfaction would be guaranteed.

Mr. McFadden took the greatest delight in waiting upon his guests, and all were glad to express pleasure that they had been his guests and say how they appreciated the kindness of his wife.

After the guests had all departed, we learn that Mr. McFadden, with loving baskets upon his arms, descended the steps and entered a little town, some of his history. His good heart knows how blessed it is to give—he is always ready to do for others. Though he is a wonderful man for one of his years, he feels he may yet reach another quarter of a century and live to pass the hundred year milestone. May his succeeding anniversaries be as pleasant as the one of last Saturday.

A Precedent Is Fixed.

The United States supreme court last Monday sustained the ruling of Judge Evans of the district court of Louisville in the case of J. T. Baske against J. N. Comingore, and by so doing a precedent relative to the United States revenue collector's divulgence of certain secrets in the affairs of private parties, of which these officials are necessarily made confidants.

The case arose over the refusal of Mr. Comingore, collector of internal revenue in the Sixth district, to exhibit his records showing how much whisky was in a certain warehouse in the county. Elias Block & Co., of Cincinnati, shipped a lot of whisky from their distilleries in Ohio into Kenton county, Ky., storing it in a bonded warehouse. Sheriff J. T. Baske appeared before Collector Comingore, telling the crowds gathered to put a tax on the whisky and requesting that Collector Comingore tell him how much whisky was in the warehouse. Mr. Comingore asked time to communicate with the Secretary of the Treasury. The Secretary denied the right of the county officials to be shown the records. Collector Comingore was then arrested for contempt of court and sentenced to imprisonment. He appealed to Judge Evans for a writ of habeas corpus. The case was tried in Louisville last February and Collector Comingore was given his liberty. The State courts appealed to the circuit court of appeals, but the case being a constitutional one, could not be heard by the circuit court and went directly to the supreme court.

The opinion was handed down by Justice Harlan, who said that ordinarily the United States courts can not interfere with the State courts in a case until the proceedings are concluded, but this case presented an emergency, inasmuch as it might interfere with a federal officer in the discharge of his duties.

St. Charles Band Will Give a Concert.
The St. Bernard band at St. Charles has been reorganized with twenty members. This band will give their promenade concert and ball in the new hall at St. Charles on next Monday night, the 16th. Brick Southworth and James Long, floor director; J. A. Mitchell, musical director.

Prohibition Convention.

The Prohibitionists will hold their county convention at Madisonville next Saturday. Some of the ablest prohibition speakers in the state will be present, and much interest will be manifested.

NOT MUCH OF A DOCTOR.



They say when a man arrives at the age of 40 he's either a fool or a physician. Now I'm just 40.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

judicially that on that day the building was in possession of the military and the Legislature did not meet; but for the purpose of doing justice; of deciding rightly, of carrying out the will of the people as expressed at the polls, it is obliged to decide that what it gave as its excuse for the performance of its daily duties, is false. It is true to excuse the court from sitting; it is false when used to reverse the mandate of the voters at the polls. This may be law; this may be profound logic; this may be justice; but it is very confusing to the mind of a layman.

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LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS.

Operator Guy, of Alabama, is now the night-copying clerk in the dispatcher's office here.

The young man Clinton, who was over by mistake last week, did not return after the amputation of his leg, only one leg being injured instead of both cut off, as reported last week. He boarded a train at Henderson to ride to Sebree, but when the train reached that point it was running so fast that he was afraid to jump off and so rode to Slaughters, where he boarded the first north bound train. When Sebree was reached, it was also going at a rapid rate, but off he jumped, ran away, and over on the outside of the track, until one leg was caught by the wheels with about results.

Clinton, while the train men hope that no serious trouble may arise that will cause the production of coal to stop in Hopkins county, as such action would mean to them also a big loss, for the life of the trade on this division is the coal business.

Chief Dispatcher Sheridan has a special invitation to attend a meeting of the K. of P. at Madisonville, this week, when he is expected to respond to a toast.

By the change in passenger conductors on the fast run, Conductor Wilson will again be placed in charge of the Hopkinsville accommodation, and Conductor Gephart will take charge of one of the south end locals.

Supervisor Sullivan has increased his force on the Providence branch.

Agent Wooldridge, wife of Madisonville, are elated over the recent purchase of an up-to-date phonograph, which reproduces several select songs, sung by Miss Mann, the daughter of former assistant superintendent, E. H. Mann.

It is not often the case that a passenger is proud of the fact that the train he travels on is late. But it does seem if the following must be true, that at least one man can feel good over such a fact and may be the means of saving his neck:

Frankfort, Ky., April 9.—Friends of Jim Howard, of Clay county, whom the Courier Journal has hinted at as the assassin of Mr. Goebel, state that he was not in Frankfort when the shooting took place. They say he arrived at 11:25 over the Midland road, while the shooting occurred at 11:15. Dr. H. B. Phillips, a teacher at Highland Park, Lexington, Cleo Society, late candidate for the Democratic nomination for Auditor, is here today. In speaking of Howard he said: "I saw Jim Howard last week in Manchester. He told me he'd heard of the charges against him, and rumor had also reached his ears that a warrant for him had been issued in Frankfort. He told me very positively that he was entirely innocent, and that no force would be required to arrest him. If I am wanted," he said, "I am ready to surrender at any time." If the affair fails to come into Clay after all, he'll meet them half way or go to Frankfort on my own accord and give up there."

E. H. Mann, formerly assistant superintendent of this division, made his first trip on the passenger run last Sunday night, relieving Conductor Wilson.

The Air Line railroad has been ordered sold by Judge Evans of the United States Court. The Southern railroad company will be the purchaser.

Railroad companies are called upon to settle claims for stock killed on the road for which, in most cases, they are not in the least responsible. Why not hold farmers or others responsible for the damage done railroads and telegraph companies by the falling of trees on the tracks and wires.

Agent Smith, of Henderson, after several weeks of serious illness, is able to resume work.

Yardmaster Mahoney, who has had charge of the L. C. yard at Henderson, for several months, has returned to his "first love" and is yardmaster for the L. & N. at that place.

The L. & N. has secured the contract for transhipping a large amount of coal from miners in Illinois and Pennsylvania, thence to be loaded on steamers bound for Germany. A train load of coal passed through here Wednesday.

At the close of business March 31, the national bank, less cash in the Treasury, amounted to \$112,250,322. This was a decrease of \$6,628,701 during the month. The reserve fund in gold, coin and bullion amounted to \$150,000,000. Government receipts in March were \$48,726,887, and the expenditures \$32,188,721. The surplus for March was \$16,538,666, and for the nine months of the present fiscal year, ending with last month, the ex-

cess of revenue over expenditure was \$54,300,000. This indicates a surplus of at least \$70,000,000 for the year ending June 30 next. This question of surplus revenue has been attracting the attention of Secretary T. C. of the Administration, and of Republican Congressional leaders. It is felt, however, that the session is too far advanced to justify any attempt being now made to disturb the existing war revenue taxes.

Hanson News.

G. T. Parish, a miner from Missouri, where he went in answer to a message from his brother, who was very low with pneumonia. Before Mr. Parish arrived his brother was dead and buried.

J. B. Gooch, of Evansville, was here the guest of relatives and friends a few days since.

Fred Loving, of Maldon, Mo., is spending a few days in our midst.

Rev W. O. Richard, of Rochester, Ky., was in our town last Sunday the guest of relatives.

W. E. Wooten, of Providence, was in town Tuesday.

J. L. Jackson, of Earlington, was in Hanson one day this week.

H. S. Boush, of Vincennes, Ind., the prohibition speaker for the second district of Kentucky, will speak at the schoolhouse-tonight. Tuesdays a good crowd is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Fugate and wife, of the Browders country, were here this week the guests of W. D. Brown and family.

Mr. Glover, of the Beech Grove Church, is visiting the family of Dr. Wells.

R. G. M. Everett has gone to Russellville this week.

W. H. Parrish is suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Miss Bertha Everett, of Morganfield, is visiting her father Rev. G. M. Everett, of this place.

Omaha, Neb., April 7—Judge Keyser handed down an important decision this morning in a question of law in a case that has been watched with interest by labor organizations in nearly every locality. It established that the resolutions of public officials to use only union-made goods have no validity.

In the application of Bertha Getschman for a writ of mandamus to compel the Coal Co. to honor her contract for printing any blanks during the year 1900, the Judge decided to issue the writ. Among the bids submitted in response to the commissioners' advertisement about the first of the year, that of Mrs. Getschman was the lowest; but the commissioners refused to accept it because provision was not made to have the work done by union labor.

What is becoming the Coal-Dale mining investigation is proving to the Democrats! Beginning with the resolution of Representative Lentz, upon which it was ordered, and almost every word of which Governor Stuenenberg has sworn was untrue, the Governor and Manager Burbridge has recited upon the Democrats. Representatives Lentz and Sulzer have had a lot of free advertising, but they have failed entirely to make a case. The action of the striking miners, incendiaries and murderers will never be sustained by reputable labor unions or by reputable wage-earners.

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Persons have been known to gain a pound a day by taking an ounce of SCOTT'S EMULSION. It is strange, but it often happens.

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DOWN IN THE MINES.

The statement made through the press last Saturday, giving President Mitchell, of the U. M. W. credit for saying that 1,600 miners in Hopkins County had struck, was as far from the truth as any statement could be, but is along the same line as other statements made by his subordinates. At Madisonville, where the agitators have doubtless made their headquarters in some sort of box, they meet from time to time to plot their great success they are making in their effort to organize this county. The reports made there, if correctly reported, would indicate that but few remain out of the fold. Whiskey tells some wonderful tales when pored into one of these agitators. Without any hesitancy or apparent love for the truth, say that Heela is well organized; that the other St. Bernard mines contain hundreds of their followers; that the Reinecke and Marquette mines are under their complete control. After examining notes they send these elaborate inductions to Mitchell who wants to believe any and all reports that will have a tendency to alleviate the suffering in mind of the poor deluded beings he has caused to be in trouble by striking. From these false epistles he produces the article attributed to him last Saturday, wherein there is not one word of truth. Instead of such being the fact, the miners in this county are becoming more and more discontented, as they have been educated out of the wives and children of the few skilled miners who are now idle in this town, that such an organization is a disgrace and therefore can never gain a foothold here.

One of the Sebree striking miners, when asked why they were idle, said that "they were striking for more pay, he thought." Now, here was one of their own number who did not really know what the grievance was that caused their strike.

J. C. Peyton is now in charge of the coke works as foreman with his long and varied experience will certainly make a good foreman.

Foreman John R. Evans, of No. 11 mine complained last week of seeing many cases of sickness, others plating their gardens and from various causes his force was greatly diminished, and a poor week's work was the result.

So much is being said about corporations and the enormous profits realized from the investment of capital that we consider it appropriate at this time to show the falsity of such assertions, especially so far as regards the St. Bernard Coal Co. By permission we refer briefly to the profits derived by the stockholders in this company. The first ten years, no return on investment; for one year, 2 per cent; for fifteen years, 3 per cent; for two years, 4 per cent; for one year, 5 per cent. Thus can be seen that a small dividend paid the investors during a period of twenty years, but the last year, the dividend was five per cent, all above that amount being divided among the employees. So it can be seen this company practices what it preaches, "live and let live."

The St. Bernard Company this week has increased its force of men at Barnsley, and it is predicted that in a short time the coal production at that place will equal that of other mines operated by this company.

On every hand we hear nothing but favorable comment on the action of the St. Bernard Coal Co. in distributing among its employees last pay day a portion of the year's profits. Another result is the large number that seek employment with that company. Thousands of men could be secured, if needed.

Secretary Bailey, of the Reinecke Coal Co., is determined to weed out the dissatisfied element working for him. The man who would rather remain idle and become a member of the U. M. W. is not his kind of man.

A young coal miner recently gave us his experience while a member of the U. M. W. A few years ago he was in West, and applying for work was informed that he could not be allowed to work there he must join the U. M. W. In order to get work he did so, paying up his dues for a number of years in advance, and went to work. Trouble of some kind was constantly coming up, causing him to lose time and money. He became tired of bearing such a yoke and returned to Kentucky a wiser if not a richer man. He went to work in the mines here and was getting along nicely providing for himself when one day he ordered some ham which he had never had before, and that the men in the far West had struck and he must do likewise. Feeling in honor bound to stand by his quit work and without any cause whatever, and remained so until his term of membership expired. About four weeks of idleness followed. He was thrust on him to his sorrow,

Now he is confirmed in his belief that no good exists in such an organization.

Doc Griffin's friend, Purcell, alias Jones, is to be in the county again this week and we suppose comes supplied with new reasons why the miners should join the U. M. W. He will, no doubt, with tears in his eyes appeal to them to come to his aid on account of him being put in jail for interfering with the miners in their efforts to organize in the mountains of Kentucky and will make false promises along every line while he and his followers freely use among the saloon element that one hundred thousand dollar corruption fund said to be laid aside to organize Hopkins county.

The managers of the Oakhill Coal Company are now busily engaged putting in new mining machinery. They have after a sad and costly experience come to the conclusion that they can best run their own business and will therefore in the future steer clear of labor unions.

Superintendent Harris of the South Diamond mine, says he remains faithfully loyal to the St. Bernard Coal Company, which is and has been in the past assisting them in securing homes. He also says there are signs of weakening among the agitators who are showing plainly the pangs of hunger.

The demand for both coal and coke continue good, and far exceeds the supply, although mines run every day.

A most remarkable instance of sagacity is exhibited by a mule at Barnsley mine. The coal is hauled from the mines to the outside by three relays of mules. The "pull," or last haul is drawn by a mule, familiarly known as "Old Liz," who has passed all the days of her servitude on that pull and has got her down to such a fine point that she never fails on bringing the coal to the outside. She is driven by a boy named Bill, who carries a gun and a rifle. The last trip of the day is made by the last relay of mules, she will emerge from the mine with a roar of joy. This is the case no matter what time of day the run is over, when she hears the drivers inside announce to her driver that the run is over, she never fails to proclaim the fact on coming to the outside. She can be driven by any one large enough to hitch and unhitch a draw chain and although the most tractable mule on earth, she will not tolerate the least abuse, and all the strength of the drivers will not move her an inch. She always walks near one rail coming out at close beside the other going down. Why she does so no one yet has ever been able to tell. She is a great favorite with the men and the hardest hearted arksind and gentle to "Old Liz."

Two thousand men idle means a loss to that number of miners of at least \$2,000 daily and that sum of money taken away from suffering wives and children by action of the U. M. W. Should such a poverty-producing society exist and command respect?

Jack Kehoe must think he is living in the time of Molly Maguire. Don't talk too much about "boxers," Jack. Hopkin county is a bad place for talk like yours.

The United Mine Workers made the primary mining so high and wages so low that union miners cannot compete in the market and are largely idle.

This is the result always, when arbitrary prices meet natural conditions. Note condition today in Kansas, Indian Territory and elsewhere.

The Diamond men have organized a meeting of "Free and Independent Workers"—G. Browning, president; C. Harris, secretary, and W. H. Edwards, chaplain. Already seventy-five members enrolled. Object, to instruct and enjoy—to build up and not tear down. More of this next week.

A vigorous walking delegate, who is active in trying to get miners in Hopkins County to strike and live on that basis, has given \$100 to support the 3500 men who are out on the expected strike in Hopkins County. Tom Kengler, who is announced as an "organizer" amongst the farmers; getting them to join some sort of organization that requires all farm products to have

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the Union label on them. We suppose the hens will be taught to lay Union eggs, with the label already on. Each gooseberry will have a label on it. During blackberry time, the children will carry a dozen pails of berries to the mill to make jam, and probably the organizer will have a new way of growing berries, apples, peaches, etc.,—will grow them with a union mark on them. Just how the farmer's will manage the milk business is a problem. It may be cork labels. But Kissener is an able man and probably will tell only the initiated the secrets of the new order.

Great are the schemes of demagogues and wandering "Willies."

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The United Mine Workers made the primary mining so high and wages so low that union miners cannot compete in the market and are largely idle.

This is the result always, when arbitrary prices meet natural conditions. Note condition today in Kansas, Indian Territory and elsewhere.

The Diamond men have organized a meeting of "Free and Independent Workers"—G. Browning, president; C. Harris, secretary, and W. H. Edwards, chaplain. Already seventy-five members enrolled. Object, to instruct and enjoy—to build up and not tear down. More of this next week.

A vigorous walking delegate, who is active in trying to get miners in Hopkins County to strike and live on that basis, has given \$100 to support the 3500 men who are out on the expected strike in Hopkins County. Tom Kengler, who is announced as an "organizer" amongst the farmers; getting them to join some sort of organization that requires all farm products to have

constant coughing is very annoying, and the continuous hacking and irritation will soon attack and injure the delicate lining of the throat and air passages. Take a dose of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at least twice a day. This wonderful remedy will cure you.

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Objections to the Culon Bill.
In a letter to the Manufacturers' Record the traffic manager of a large Western manufacturing concern sets forth several objections to the Culon bill for the enlargement of the powers of the interstate commission as follows:

"Having read with considerable interest your editorials on the subject of the proposed amendment to the interstate commerce law introduced by Senator Culon, I take the liberty of expressing my views on the subject.

"Having had considerable experience in railroading, and now looking after the shipping interests of a large manufacturing firm in the West, I feel that the passage of the proposed amendment would be injurious to all manufacturers."

The principal objection, from the manufacturer's standpoint, appears to be the section which authorizes the commission to prepare and publish within one year from the passage of this act a classification of freight articles and rules and regulations and conditions for freight transportation, which shall be known as the national freight classification. No intimation is given as to what shall be the "regulations" or "rules" which shall govern such classification, nor are shippers enlightened as to the probable changes under which their shipments shall be carried. This section gives the commission unlimited power, and the shipping public have no opportunity to express themselves as to the classification, rules and conditions which shall govern their shipments before the classifications become effective.

The condition of transportation vary in different States, and a rule which would be advantageous to one particular article in a certain district would not be applicable to the same in another section of the country.

"It is to be expected that a commission sitting in Washington should be cognizant of the various manufacturing districts, nor does it seem possible that they can manage and control the transportation of the entire railroad system of the United States. Those fully conversant with the problems of transportation are aware that there are many difficulties surrounding the classification and movement of freight which competing companies themselves oftentimes are unable to satisfactorily adjust, and it cannot be conceived that an untrained and unorganized group of men whose lives have been spent in different channels of thought and action can grasp and solve those problems to the study of which expert railroad officials have devoted their entire lives.

TERRIBLE TEXAS FLOODS.

Thousands Gather at Austin to View the Devastation Wrought by the Ruthless Waters.

THE CITY PRACTICALLY IN DARKNESS.

The Great Power House That Supplied Electric Light and Power a Mass of Rubble, Result of the Breach of the Big Dam—Many People Were Drowned.

Austin, Tex., April 8.—Fully thirty thousand people gathered at the enormous stadium south of this city to witness the ruins of the plant which cost this city one and three-quarter millions of dollars a year ago. The waters of the Colorado river were still plunging and foaming around the base of the dam, the pile of granite which once formed the dam, as though it was nothing more than chalk rock. So fierce was the current that great boulders were carried half a mile from the dam, being rolled over the rocks by the turbulent tide. The powerhouse, which had stood to the fierce wash of the water, at two o'clock this morning, lies a mass of wreckage on the edge of the river, all the valuable machinery either having been washed into the river or badly damaged by the falling timbers of the powerhouse. The wreck of the plant is complete.

The Situation Most Serious.
The situation in the city is right-
now most serious. The fact that it will take several weeks to secure an emergency power and light system, if it can be made possible even then. In the meantime the city will be in a bad sanitary condition. All the hotels, private residences, stores and the like are without water, and there is no fire protection.

Congressmen, members of the railroads, services-to-light for want of light, and all public meetings were abandoned. The daily papers are handicapped in their publications, being deprived of their electric power. The river is filling fast.

Everything is Under Water.
Reports from the neighboring country point to the effect that everything is under water. In Williamson county, north of here, railroad bridges and tracks have been laid waste, and many houses have been ruined. Hundreds of head of cattle have been drowned and miles of fencing torn down and washed away. In Bastrop county and in the southern portion of this county similar conditions prevail, and the amount of damage is not yet known.

Loss Will Exceed Three Millions.

The country tributary to the Colorado river all the way down its course is being inundated, and while it is believed that the loss is only \$1,000,000, it will exceed \$3,000,000. The amount of head of cattle has been drowned, and miles of fencing torn down and washed away. In Bastrop county and in the southern portion of this county similar conditions prevail, and the amount of damage is not yet known.

There were no trains operated on the Inland Great Northern, as much as twelve hours between a number of bridges were washed away during last night. The Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad is also a heavy sufferer from a like cause.

Large Accrue Under Water.
Reports from several sections of central Texas are to the effect that a large amount of damage has been done, and much damage has been suffered in property and live stock.

THE WATERS ASSAUGING.
Great Property Damage, but No Loss of Life Reported.

Houston, Tex., April 8.—As a rule the Texas rivers are now falling, and there is not much danger of a general flood. The crops have been damaged considerably, but the damage is not so great as to require the removal of the dead. The cotton has been planted over once, and will have to be planted the third time. The farmers, as a rule, have not planted much cotton because the heavy rains have kept them out of the fields. The railroads have been closed, and it will be a week before the traffic resumes its normal condition.

Smithville reports tremendous rains have fallen throughout that section, the water rising to a height of ten feet above the base in the great Austin dam reaching there this evening. The river is on a 30-foot rise at 7 p.m., and is rising one foot an hour. It is estimated that over 5,000 acres of growing crops have been inundated, while 100 miles of roads have been inundated by from ten to fifteen feet. The low water will reach over fifty thousand dollars. The stock has been destroyed. No deaths have been reported in that section so far from drowning. Great excitement and uneasiness prevailed last night, but the water has subsided.

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TWO DESTRUCTIVE BLAZES.

A Quarter of a Million Dollars' Worth of Property Licked Up in New York.

New York, April 10.—The Edward C. Smith box factory was destroyed by fire. The flames spread to adjacent buildings, and the total loss is estimated at a quarter of a million dollars. The loss on the box factory is about \$100,000. The wood yard of George W. Fife at Provost and Pace streets, was destroyed with small buildings situated near it. The total loss is \$100,000. Other losses were as follows: Post & McCorl, the Brooklyn iron works, \$10,000; Alexander Colman, cast yard, \$500; Church & Co., soda works, \$10,000; the Brooklyn oil works, \$25,000. Loss on various small buildings bring the total up to about \$250,000.

A REGULAR HOLOCAUST.

One Man and Forty-Two Horses Crumpled at Peru, Ind.

Peru, Ind., April 10.—A fire destroyed the livery barn of Ward Bros. & Co., together with all the contents, including 42 horses. Reilly Gregory, an employee, was burned to death. The loss amounts to over \$30,000, partially insured. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

KANSAS CITY ENTERPRISE.

Plans for the Erection of a New Convention Hall Practically Completed—Funds on Hand.

Kansas City, Mo., April 10.—Plans for erecting the new convention hall have practically been completed, and the site of remanding the funds on hand, the city of Kansas City has received a grant of \$100,000 for the new building, which is to cost in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

Delegations continue to sign contracts for quarters at the different hotels. Yesterday one of the leading hotels closed a contract, negotiated by Senator Clark, for 15 members of the Montana delegation.

WRONGED AND MURDERED.

Paid Utmost Attention to the Wife and Paid to Wait for the Wronged Husband.

Fort Wayne, Ind., April 9.—Near Auburn Saturday night, Mrs. Steel was slain and killed by William Davis. The latter had been attentive to Steel's wife, and it was his desire to make trouble. Saturday night Steel tried to call on a neighbor, and as he was entering the door he was shot through the heart. Bleeding profusely, he fell to the ground, and brought up at the door of Davis' house, some miles away. Davis was immediately arrested, and confined to the murderer.

DECIDED AGAINST CLARK.

The Montana Senator Will Be Called Upon to Vacate His Seat in the Near Future.

Washington, April 10.—The Senate committee on ethics has voted to recommend the adoption of a resolution declaring that Hon. W. A. Clark, of Montana, is not entitled to occupy his seat as a senator from Montana. The decision was reached after a six hours' sitting, at which all the members of the committee were present, except one. The absentee was Senator Caffery, of Louisiana, and he wired his vote in opposition to Clark.

SOUGHT TO ESCAPE PRISON.

Attempted Suicide of a Youthful Convicted Murderer in the Detroit, Mich., Jail.

Detroit, Mich., April 7.—Harry James, a young convicted of the robbery and murder of John M. Johnson, who was slain by shooting his throat with a revolver, which he had procured from a fellow-prisoner, July 1st, officials interfered in time to save his life. James was to have been taken to Jackson during the day to begin his imprisonment.

THIRTY MISSOURI REPUBLICANS.

St. Louis, April 8.—The members of the Twelfth congressional district (in the city of St. Louis) nominated Wm. M. Horton for congress. J. R. Owens and State Senator Schweihsdorf were elected delegates to the national convention, and instructed for the delegation to support the administration and expansion and affirmed the St. Louis platform of 1896. Silas Benetot was named as presidential elector.

Accepted Just in Time.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 8.—Just one minute before the expiration of the time limit within which the Gillette-Herzog Manufacturing Co. had to pay \$100,000 to the city of Minneapolis for the construction of the Kansas City convention hall, the acceptance of the committee on building was received by telephone. This means that the steel work will be completed by June 15, under a sufficient guarantee.

A LAKE MYSTERY.

St. Louis, April 9.—This city is struggling with the mystery of an unknown water怪 that has been seen in the lake in Lyon park, in the southern part of the city. Coroner Lloyd says she was not drowned, the physical signs indicating that the body was placed in the water after her death.

A DIPLOMAT, Robbed.

Washington, April 11.—Senor Anton Delviso, the Argentine charge d'affaires, has reported to the police that his house had been entered and a sum of jewelry approximating in value \$5,000.

Reports from points on other rivers are of damage to crops, but no loss of life.

All sections tributary to the Colorado river report serious damage to property.

DEWEY'S WESTERN TRIP.

Final Arrangements Made for the Visit to Chicago on the Manila Bay Anniversary.

THE AFFAIR WILL BE ENTIRELY SOCIAL.

Leaving Chicago the Admiral Will Make a Twelve Day's Tour, Tailored in Jacksonville, Ill., St. Louis, Memphis, Louisville, Nashville and Franklin.

Washington, April 10.—The Chinese reception committee, consisting of W. L. Conly and J. M. Glenn, had a final interview with Admiral Dewey. No mention was made of politics, the admiral's only illusion to the matter being that since he has accepted the invitation he will not be disturbed. His conditions had so changed that he was accepting no further invitations.

He assured the committee that he was glad to accept the hospitality of the city of Chicago. He told the committee he had received many favorable recommendations from various organizations that became their hosts, but had not accepted them. He had placed himself solely in the hands of the city of Chicago.

The Admiral's Wishes.

He requested that they make arrangements for him to dine with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey. He wished matters to be so arranged that she could attend the functions at which he would be present. The admiral, who received the committee in a most cordial manner, was very anxious that the trip should be carried out and said he was informed that arrangements had been made to have his son, who is now a resident of Chicago, participate in the various entertainments.

The Admiral's Fare.

The committee, consisting of himself and Mrs. Dewey, Lieut. Caldwell, Mr. Moody, of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad; a Chinese servant, and Mrs. Dewey's maid, will leave this city in a special train over the Baltimore & Ohio to Indianapolis, Ind., to meet Admiral Dewey and rest before the trip to San Francisco, the eve of the second anniversary of Manila bay. The train will be one of the handsomest ever run over the Baltimore & Ohio tracks. Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will occupy President Conly's private car.

Town of Mississippi Valley.

No stops will be made between Washington and Chicago, as the admiral does not wish the trip to have any delay in the schedule. After leaving Chicago, however, the train will take a 12-day tour through the Mississippi valley. So far as outlined, this will include a stop of one day at Jacksonville, Ill., two days in St. Louis, two in Memphis, two in Louisville, two in Nashville, and one in Frankfort.

Entirely a Personal Matter.

Admiral Dewey was asked concerning the story in circulation that Mrs. Dewey had left the Catholic church and was to be received into communion at St. John's Episcopal church here. He replied it was a matter he did not wish to discuss; that he did not see it was a question of national interest whether Mrs. Dewey was a Catholic, a Methodist or an Episcopalian. It was mentioned entirely to himself and Mrs. Dewey, and he added, "Mrs. Dewey is not being interviewed now on any subject."

A REPORT FROM GEN. OTIS.

Eleven Places in Mindanao and Three in Jolo Archipelago Occupied by Our Troops.

Washington, April 10.—The following report of recent development is the compilation made available at the war department from Gen. Otis.

Manila, April 9.—Gen. Bates just returned from south after placing the Fortieth infantry at Surigao, Agayan Islands, Samitan, Dipitan, northern Mindanao, and attending to special matters intended to be handled in the islands of Mindanao and Jolo. Attended by two naval vessels and two gun-boats, troops occupied the points without resistance. Two hundred and forty-one rifles and 97 pieces of artillery were captured. Eleven places in Mindanao and three in Jolo Archipelago are now occupied by troops without the firing of a shot. Bates in that section quite satisfied OTIS."

NOT UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

The United States Supreme Court Declares the Chicago Anti-Cigarette Ordinance.

Washington, April 9.—The United States supreme court decided the case of Chicago against the city of Chicago, involving the validity of the anti-cigarette ordinance of that city. The ordinance was attacked as unconstitutional. The opinion was handed down by Justice Peckham, and held down the ordinance not to be unconstitutional.

Miss Addie D. Miles' Will.

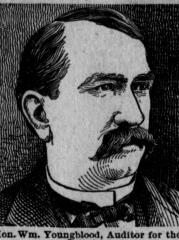
Middletown, N. Y., April 10.—The will of Miss Addie D. Miles, who died recently, was filed for probate yesterday. The bequested property worth about three hundred thousand dollars to Rev. James O'Connor, of New York, for mission work.

Fires at Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Colo., April 10.—The Hagerman block, in the business part of the city, was gutted by fire that originated in the basement of the Smith-Wilson drug store early Sunday morning. The loss will aggregate \$100,000.

TWO VERY PROMINENT PUBLIC MEN.

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Hon. Wm. Youngblood, Auditor for the Interior.



Congresswoman Howard from Alabama.

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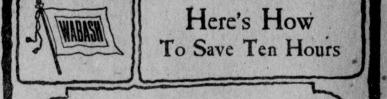
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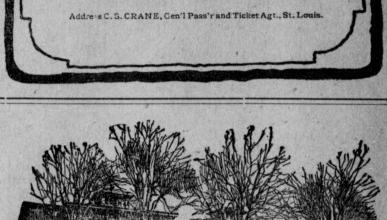


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The matron of a well known Masonic Home mentions one inmate, seventy years of age, who has been in the infirmary for three years, a great sufferer from indigestion, and has been taking Kipans Tabules about a year and a half and finds so beneficial that he is never without them. He is willing that his name should be used in a testimonial, as it might be of use in persuading some other person to try them. A second old gentleman, in the same institution, eighty-four years of age, had liver trouble for many years and finds that R-I-P-A-N-S help him very much. They also have two nurses there, one thirty years of age, the other forty-two; both suffer from indigestion, causing headache, depression of spirits and nervousness. They take the Tabules and find them so useful that they always have a package in their pockets. The matron also states that she is forty-five years of age and at times suffers with indigestion, causing pain and paroxysms of belching, and finds that the Tabules are very good indeed and is perfectly willing to have her name used in a testimonial.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1900.

OUR readers should notice the strong statement of Gov. Taylor in another part of this issue. It is thoroughly characteristic of this great Kentuckian.

PUBLIC sentiment is growing agains those worthless fellows who are too trifling to work and who tramp about over the country trying to persuade other men to quit their work and let their families suffer.

THE honest, hard-working men of Hopkins county ought to be under lasting obligations to Sheriff Hankins and Judge Hall for their determination to protect the county. Any county ought to be prosperous that has a set of officers who are ready to do their duty regardless of results, and who are backed by as noble a class of citizens as ever inhabited a county.

JUDGE GIVENS is organizing a new Hopkins County Fair Company, with good prospects of success. The Judge is the man to run a county fair and THE BEE will hunt up its rich relatives and urge them to take stock with him. A county fair is good for the county when properly conducted, and Judge Givens has a clean record. He is a good fellow—popular, and we are for him.

ADMIRAL DEWEY's ridiculous attitude in which he has placed himself by his late announcement as a candidate for the presidency arouses the pity of some of his trusty admirers. There was a time when Dewey was almost the idol of the American people, but like many other great men he has made a fatal step and one that very likely will place clouds over the sunset of his great and noble life. We firmly believe that he was led into the trap by some indiscreet parties who deserve the condemnation of the thousands of people who have learned to love and admire this great, noble-hearted American.

To every lover of good government the action of the officials and people of Hopkins county the past month has been most gratifying. When the greatest industry of the county was threatened by irresponsible demagogues from other counties and States, and by a few silly residents of the county as well, with the streets of the county town filled by penniless vagrants, whose falsehoods and threats were interwoven with ridiculous promises such as only irresponsible men make, then did the county officials, backed up by public sentiment announce that no Indiana or Illinois anarchist should roam about old Hopkins unchallenged. Such public sentiment regardless of creed or politics, is evidence of the highest type of the American citizen. It was an announcement to the world that one community in this land of ours, guarantees to the worker his right to laboras he saw fit, without fear or favor.

Such communities as this one of ours attract the capitalist and get the men whose push and energy bring prosperity. We believe the stand taken by the people of Hopkins county during past and present labor troubles, in adjacent counties and States will redound greatly to their benefit.

The Graphic of April 6 says: The proposed, or threatened, in-



"HE'S CAUGHT ON."

—Philadelphia North American.

vasion of Hopkins county by the miners from other counties has not yet taken place. It was reported that the county was to be invaded the latter part of last week. It is to be hoped that the thing has been postponed not only indefinitely, but for all time to come.

The men who have made this threat have been warned that their presence is not needed here. Sheriff Hankins has a sufficient number of deputies sworn in so that a set of miners or shall come to Hopkins county and by so doing interfere with our people. No intimidation tactics will be tolerated.

The officials of this county are determined to see that the rights of the miners of this county and the property of the citizens shall not in any way be interfered with. The people propose to stand by the officers in the discharge of their duty.

If the miners here want to quit work there is no one will try to prevent it, but if these same men want to continue at their posts, then it is determined among the whole people to maintain while they are at work.

The people of Hopkins county feel that they are fully able to take care of themselves and their own interests without any interference from outside parties.

The miners from other counties may quit when they please, they can strike when they please, they can march as they please in their own sections, but they are warned that they must not interfere with any of the affairs of Hopkins county.

Letter List.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Earlinton, Ky.:

Mr. Dan Arterton, Mr. Lewis Allen, Mr. Sam Brown, Mr. S. G. Barker, Mr. Alfred Barker, Mr. Jim Bradshaw, Miss Ada Bell Brown, Mr. H. Bonon, Mr. Delvers Cobb, Mrs. Alice Cable, Mrs. Cavanah, Alice Calvin, Starling Clark, Sandy Duper, Ed. Decker, Frank Jefferson, Sherman Godsey, W. S. Galbreath, Willie Gant, J. M. Green, Lef Heley, Esq. H. Hunt, Mr. Ben Hargis, Mr. Dick Hooker, Mr. John Hanna, Miss J. D. Hale, Lydia Jago, Jerie Jeans, Mr. H. Jackson, Mr. Chester jeans, Mr. W. E. Keeney, Mrs. Luis Leavel, Miss Phyllis Dineen, Miss Lucy Myers, Mrs. W. F. McHale, Mrs. Mary Obaris, Mr. Joe Oates, Mr. Samuel Oldham, Mr. Henry Park, Mrs. Lucy E. Phillips, Mr. J. Padgett, Mr. Oscar Rogers, Mr. O. H. Rucker, Mr. Arthur Rhoadman, Mr. Thomas Rose, Mr. W. E. Jydner, Mr. J. J. Simpson, Mr. Will Smith, Mrs. Susan Small, Mr. J. T. Sullivan, Miss Effie Sisk, Mr. B. A. Sisk, Mr. B. H. Sisk, Miss Sallye Sisk, Miss Georgia Terry, Mr. John Vick, Mrs. J. S. Vincent, Mr. Elias Wilson, Mrs. Lucy Watson, Miss Lisy Williams, Mrs. Bettie Wilson, S. L. Wilson, John Penley.

C. G. ROBINSON, P. M.

Jake Rowe on Trial.
The April term of the Daviess Circuit Court convened at Owenton Monday. Among the cases set for trial is a charge against Commonwealth Attorney Jake Rowe. The charge states that Mr. Rowe was too drunk to attend to his duties in the Bliven murder case at the December term. It also states that he went to sleep and snored in the presence of the jury. Rowe denies the charge and says that he had taken morphine on the advice of a physician. Rowe is represented by Capt. W. T. Ellis, R. A. Miller, R. W. Slack and Joe Noy.

New Jersey's bank deposits increased in number from 137,897 in 1894 to 177,790 in 1899, a gain of almost 50 per cent. The amount of deposits increased from \$34,265,238 in 1894 to \$48,552,873 last year, a gain of more than 40 per cent. McKinley prosper has been a pretty good thing in New Jersey.

Subscribe for THE BEE.

William Waller Dead.

Mr. William L. Waller, the well known Madisonville merchant, died at his home in that city Monday from a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Waller was an excellent gentleman and one who had many friends all over this country. He was a member of the Baptist church. The deceased leaves a wife and three children.

August Flower.

"It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Houston, "that in our travels in all parts of the world for the last ten years I have met more people who have used Green's August Flower than any other remedy, for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, than I have seen in all my experience." — *London Standard.* August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent doses, and is excellent for stomach and intestine. Sample bottles free at St. Bernard Drugstore. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

During the war with Spain, for which our preparations were hasty, the Democrats complained that our transport service was inferior, and their sympathy for the soldiers was permitted to work over time. But a few days ago a Democratic member of Congress from New York took the floor to complain that extravagance was being practiced in the construction and equipment of our army transports. The Democratic donkey doesn't say hitched to one side of a question any great length of time.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. S. Q. on each tablet.

The House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries has filed an exhaustive and valuable report in favor of standard shipping bill. Its prompt passage will increase the demand for iron, steel and many other American manufactures, besides making us as independent in the delivery of our goods as we are supreme in making them.

Success—Worth Knowing

Forty years success in the South proves Hughes' Tonic a great remedy for Chills and all Malaria Fevers, Better than Quinine. Guaranteed. Mrs. Lucy E. Phillips, Mr. J. Padgett, Mr. Oscar Rogers, Mr. O. H. Rucker, Mr. Arthur Rhoadman, Mr. Thomas Rose, Mr. W. E. Jydner, Mr. J. J. Simpson, Mr. Will Smith, Mrs. Susan Small, Mr. J. T. Sullivan, Miss Effie Sisk, Mr. B. A. Sisk, Mr. B. H. Sisk, Miss Sallye Sisk, Miss Georgia Terry, Mr. John Vick, Mrs. J. S. Vincent, Mr. Elias Wilson, Mrs. Lucy Watson, Miss Lisy Williams, Mrs. Bettie Wilson, S. L. Wilson, John Penley.

Olyne News.

Amos Bogle is on the sick list at this writing.

It is rumored that Pearl Brown has been seen to visit a neat little cottage large enough for two, where in love and happiness reign supreme.

We hope that the sweet visions may prove a lively reality.

Nathan Creekmire is very low with piles.

A few days ago, Nathan Creekmire visited Abraham Howton, who lives near Beulah church. This queer old man, generally known as "Uncle Abe," is the curiosity of the neighborhood, having lost all feeling until needles can be stuck through his flesh and will not come out again. He says if his feet have been cold the last winter he has not felt it. Although bent with age, he continues to do his own housework and has lived alone since his twentieth year, having been disappointed in love in his youth and never married. He is the owner of nearly one hundred acres of land that is said to contain some of the finest coal in the county. He is an unbeliever in God and believes that death ends all.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP
Will cure Tonsillitis and Bronchitis.

A specific for incipient consumption. Doses small. Price 25 cts. at druggists.

Subscribe for THE BEE.

There has been appointed a commission to report on the ruins of the cliff-dwellers in the vicinity of Manzanares and Cortes, Colo., and also near Azteca, Mexico, with the idea of preserving the lands as a national park.

Almost Blind.

My little four-year-old girl's eyes were so weak from birth that she could not stand any light at all. Was treated with various remedies to no benefit. My neighbors induced me to buy Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron from Mr. O. Daugherty, Barrington, Ky. This treatment only restored her sight, but made her stronger and healthier than she ever was in her life.

DAVID KESSING

Sold by agent in every town and by Campbell & Co.

The prosperity of Colorado is so pronounced that there is a possibility of that State turning its back upon Bryanism. Experience is a great educator.

DIGEST YOUR FOOD.

Nothing is more important to health than the proper digestion of your food. It creates poisons and gives them to your blood, and then you are liable to all sorts of diseases. Dr. Carlsdorff's German Liver Pill is the best medicine for the good effects after taking one dose. Give it to your children.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam Cured Your Cough. Just the Medicine for Children.

St. Bernard Drug Store,

It is announced that Hon. William Jennings Bryan will arrange his plans so as to spend some of his time this year at Lincoln, Nebr.

Mother! Beware of those secret robbers of your baby's quiet and health. Those sleepless nights will bring you many a sleepless night. Caused by those terrible enemies of childhood—worms. Destroy and remove them with White's Cream Vermifuge. Price 25 cents at St. Bernard Drugstore.

In 1895 there were 13,588 miles of street railway track in the United States. In 1896 there were 17,291 miles. This is another indication of our recent progress and prosperity.

Many people suffer from tortures from piles, and the popularity of the popular remedy that they can be cured. Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment will cure them. It has met with absolute success. Price, 50cts. in ointments, tubes, etc. at St. Bernard Drugstore.

Disfranchisement in the State of North Carolina may save the Democracy there the inconvenience their party has experienced in Kentucky.

A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times during the night to relieve some batches of pain in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. It's guaranteed. Campbell & Co.

Ex-President Cleveland has expressed himself in approval of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty for the neutralization of the Nicaraguan Canal.

A kidney remedy that can be depended on will be found in PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. It heals and strengthens. Sold by St. Bernard Drugstore.

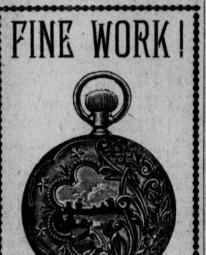
Republican gains in Nebraska's local elections are a favorable indication of something greater in the same direction November.

Thus, W. Carter, of Ashboro, N.C., had kidney trouble and one bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a perfect cure, and he says there is no remedy that will compare with it. Campbell & Co.

Secretary Gage has been examining into our surplus of revenue. Secretary Carlisle was always occupied in figuring up his deficiency.

Cuts, wounds, burns, sprains and bruises quickly heal if you apply Dr. Hallard's Snow Liniment. Price, 25cts. and sets at St. Bernard Drugstore.

Gobbelism is but a species of political gobbelism without the consent of the gobbled.



Fine Work
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elry Repairing,
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L. & N. R. R.
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Earlington, Ky.

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Tooth extracted free, Wednesday, April 18, 1900, at Earlinton, Ky., by Neville Bros., the Real Painless Dentists of Sebree, Ky., who come well recommended, this being their fourth trip, and will continue to make regular trips. They guarantee their work for five years.

TEETH EXTRACTED FREE On first day to advertise our new and painless method of extracting teeth, known and used by us alone. All are invited to call and be convinced. Office at Hotel.



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Twentieth Century Residence, Business House, Church, or any other class of building done promptly and in first-class style, apply to, or address

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Plans, Details and Specifications drawn up on short notice. Estimates on work and materials cheerfully given. Correspondence solicited.

GOOD THINGS!

If you have the palate of an epicure, or a "sweet tooth," each can be satisfied to the full from our shelves and counters, which are

Loaded With All the Good Things the Earth Produces.

No more choice and complete line of things good to eat can be found in any store except a large city grocery.

That's what ours is. It is not situated in a large city, but it is not in any "hen-coop of a town," and our customers know a good thing when they see it. Hence we are able to carry a magnificent stock of Groceries, and to sell them at close figures.

Buy your eating from our shelves, and you will have a good taste in your mouth for a month.

St. Bernard Gen'l Store.

SUBSCRIBE FOR
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ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR.

HAMMERING AT BRABANT.

The Boers Resume Their Attack on Three Sides of Gen. Brabant's Position at Wepener.

BOERS BEING RAPIDLY REINFORCED.

Mysterious Movements of British Troops Being Made at Bloemfontein. — Our Correspondents are Not Allowed to Give Any Information of Their Destination.

London, April 10.——The Boer attack on Gen. Brabant's force at Wepener was resumed again at dawn. The enemy's attack on two or three sides on Monday, lasted until 2:30 in the afternoon, but did not stop, and it was believed that the enemy had been beaten off; but it was announced this morning from Aliwal North that the fighting had again begun.

Boers Being Reinforced. — The Boers are rapidly amassing from 2,000 to 3,000 men, holding positions in a rough country. It is not known what the numerical strength of the Boers is, but whatever it may be, it is being rapidly augmented. A body of 2,000 Boers is marching north from Springfield toward Smithfield, between Wepener and Springfield. The detonation of heavy guns was heard at Maseru, on Monday. Sir Godfrey Lagden, the British resident commissioner of Basutoland, has left Maseru and is en route to Springfield.

Diverted to Springfield. — The events in the southern portion of the Free State have caused the eighth division, which had been ordered to the Transvaal, to be diverted to Springfield.

Mysterious Movements. — Mysterious movements of troops at Bloemfontein are proceeding. The newspaper correspondents are not allowed to telegraph their despatches, and the information in the local papers is making dispositions to cut off the raiding Boer forces when they try to withdraw northward from the pursuing British columns.

Warlike Feeling Reversed. — The resumption of hostilities in the Transvaal has reversed the prevailing of the warlike feeling among the Free States of the Fauremuth and Philippolis districts. The federal agents are busily getting details of the surrendered Boers, and owing to the British garrison remaining with them in those districts, the British residents are uneasy, and sent delegations to Springfield to ask for help. They were told that steps for their defense would be immediately taken.

The Boers are reported to have ventured south of the Blydeberg, and to be posting heavy guns four miles north of Elandsburg. They are also said to have fortified the vicinity of Wessels' nek.

Gen. Sir Frederick Carrington has reached Cape Town, and is going to Beira, Portuguese East Africa, forthwith.

More Horses For the Cape. — The war office proposes to land at Cape Town before the end of May 20,000 horses, which will be conveyed there in 22 steamers sailing from New Orleans, Buenos Ayres and Australian ports.

An Undertaking Likeness. — The Boers are continuing their British campaign in the fruitless series of campaigns in which the large disciplined armies of Spain sought to crush the Cuban insurrection, "adding:

"Of course our troops far exceed in val-

"and discipline the combatants in our favor, and the situation is in our favor, but our enemies equal us except the ragged levies of the Cuban insurgents."

NEWS THROUGH BOER SOURCES.

A Third Defeat Within a Week.

London, April 11.——A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Brandfort, dated Sunday, says:

"Yesterday Gen. De Wet inflicted

"the third defeat on the British within

"a week, at Springfield, killing and

"wounding 600. He captured 900, with

"2 wagons, losing 5 Boers killed and

"none wounded."

Water Supply Satisfactory.

London, April 11.——The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post says:

"The water supply continues satis-

"factory. Every day we are getting

"more water on the hills commanding

"Bloemfontein. Civilian labor is to be

"utilized. Sickness among the troops is

"somewhat diminishing."

Hard on Horsemen.

Bloemfontein, Monday, April 3.——Re-

"ments are continually arriving, but

"competent authorities estimate that

"the wastage of horses monthly by the

"British forces in South Africa must be

"calculated at not less than 5,000."

Madame Adams' Statue Barred.

New York, April 10.—Capt. A. H.

Mattox, press representative of the

United States commission for the Paris

exposition, says the \$150,000 gold statue

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Marie Corelli's New Story.

Marie Corelli, for the first time in five years, has written a short story for an American magazine. — "The Laurels of the Brave" is the title of a bitter, brilliant, timely story which she has just finished for the Saturday Evening Post, of Philadelphia. It deals with the South African War Charities, and handles with gloves the "Society Department" of the English War Office and the women who, for advertising purposes, are donning khaki. "The Laurels of the Brave," superbly illustrated by Harrison Fisher, will appear in The Saturday Evening Post of April 14.

Refused to Step Down.

Barbourville, Ky., April 9.—Circuit Court began this morning. For a time it was doubtful who would act as Judge, John Henry Wilson or Judge Brown. When the time for opening court arrived Judge Brown took the bench, and a few minutes later Judge Wilson appeared with a certificate from the Election Commissioners and signed by Judge Brown refused to vacate.

When the Hon. Joseph Weldon Bailey, the former leader of the Democracy, first arrived in Congress he insisted upon the sergeant-at-arms deducting from his salary for those days on which he was absent. Now, this Democratic statesman who makes a specialty of the Constitution and glories in being better than his colleagues, can go off on a campaigning tour for 10 days in the state and draw his full salary without doing his conscience the least bit of violence. The Hon. Joseph Weldon Bailey as a reformer is sadly lacking in staying qualities.

The Republican "clean sweeps" in the Mississippi Valley do not indicate a revolt because the Republicans in Congress have not adopted trade with Porto Rico to suit the trade with Porto Rico to suit the demands of establishment a dangerous precedent.

A Frustrated Attempt.

An attempt was made on Tuesday night, the 2d inst, to rob the Sebres Bank at Sebres, Ark. The burglars were discovered and blew open the front door of the safe, but their efforts to accomplish anything safe has a time combination and is burglar proof. Had it not been for this the robbers would have made a large haul.

Dr. G. W. Young to Speak.

Rev. G. W. Young, of Winchester, Ky., will talk to the people of Earlton, Friday night, April 30th, at the M. E. Church, South, on State temperance work. Dr. Young is one of the finest speakers in the state and never fails to interest those who hear him. If you miss his talk you will miss a treat. Be sure to hear him.

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Misses May Bradley and Ruth Plain, of Madisonville, were in the city one day last week in the interest of their church.

Liberty League at London.

London, Ky., April 9.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held in the courthouse here today at which a liberty league was organized for Laurel county. Nearly 500 persons, representing all political parties, were present and participated in the meeting. The following resolutions were reported and unanimously adopted:

We pledge ourselves to use all our efforts to secure the repeal of the election law, known as the "Goebel law," and that we vote for no one for any county or State office who is in favor of it and to stand bravely and courageously for the inalienable rights of freedom in Kentucky.

After the resolutions were adopted the chairman announced that those desiring to become members of the liberty league, would have the secretary enroll their names and as all present were eager to become members of the organization it was necessary to appoint several enrolling clerks to accommodate the large audience. Steps were taken to organize in each precinct of the county.

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USE PRICKLY ASH BITTERS FOR KIDNEY DISEASE, STOMACH TROUBLE, CONSTITUTION, LIVER DISORDER OR CONSTIPATION. IT CURES.

Does anybody know of a piece of general legislation proposed or proposed by Mr. Bryan? The gentleman from Nebraska served in Congress for two terms and in his entire time talking for publication.

Prof. E. B. Bourland will fill Eld. I. H. Teel's appointment at Mortons Gap next Sunday. He will also fill Eld. Teel's appointment here the fourth Sunday in this month.

Rev. Jas. A. Burden preached to a large audience at the General Baptist church last Sunday night from the text, "What is that to thee, follow me." The sermon was well received.

Election returns last week were received with great satisfaction by Republicans in Washington, especially the gains in Nebraska and Kansas. They are valuable straws indicating the trend of public opinion in the far West, where the people seem to be content with a national policy that has resulted in universal prosperity.

Are you a subscriber to THE BEE? You should be.

St. Bernard Drug Store, Special Agents.

Does Your Stomach Trouble You?

The first thing to do when you find your stomach "out of order" is to be careful about your eating for a few days and use

DR. CARLSTEAD'S GERMAN LIVER POWDER.

Common sense will tell you that to cure stomach trouble a medicine must be used that will strengthen the system and such a remedy is Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder. It goes right to the root of the difficulty and is the only easy, safe and reliable remedy on the market for the treatment of this disease.

For sale by all druggists and dealers generally or by mail on receipt of price, 25 cents 5 bottles \$1.00.

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PERSONAL.

Elder I. H. Teel left Monday for the State of Colorado, where he goes to hold a series of meetings.

Misses Inez Dean and Mary Mathershead spent Monday in Madisonville.

Charles Gordon was in the county seat one day this week.

Misses Bessie Arnold and Modest Buchanan, of Madisonville, visited relatives in Earlton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Covert and children, Launcie, Leslie and Master Everett, visited in Webster county last week.

Rev. B. F. Wilson and Mrs. Henry Livingston, of Hanson, attended the funeral of Rev. W. C. Wilson's child last Saturday.

Mr. J. M. Victory and daughter, Miss Bettie, and Miss Pauline Davis were in Evansville one day this week.

Misses Nannie and Frankie Stokes, Fannie McGregor and Nellie Rootz, Mesdames Ernest Rootz, William Campbell and Claude Oldham were in Madisonville Friday.

Walter Powers, of Madisonville, spent Friday evening with friends here.

Conductor C. B. Moody has recovered and is back on the Providence run.

Dr. Cordiner, of Kansas City, Mo., has been visiting his mother here for the past few days. He stands high in his profession and his Hopkins county friends are pleased to learn of his success.

Mesdames W. S. McGarry and Arthur Cole were in Madisonville this week.

William Hancock was in Central City last Sunday, visiting his wife and young son.

Mr. Mulhauser, the popular representative of Armour and Co., was here calling on our merchants this week.

M. Cain, of Mortons Gap, was in the city Monday.

Miss Jennie Goswick, of Richland, visited relatives Mrs. W. T. Neal the past week.

Representative Rogers, of Christian county, was in the city Tuesday.

J. S. McCulley, of Madisonville, was in the city Monday afternoon.

Representative Ben T. Robinson, of Mortons Gap, was here one day this week.

Mrs. R. J. McCulley has been suffering from rheumatism for several days.

Mrs. Al Rutland, of Emporia, visited her mother here this week.

Mrs. Margaret Starks and son, of Colorado, are visiting relatives here.

Thomas Wooster and children are on the sick list.

Jesse Stodghill has the measles.

Mrs. John R. Evans and daughters, Ethel and Lillie, were in Madisonville yesterday.

Mrs. Rebecca Browning has returned from South Carolina, where she spent the winter with one of her sons.

Mrs. Christine Ross, of Madisonville, spent one day this week with friends here.

Miss Lula Jordan, of Russellville, is visiting the family of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Fawcett, this week.

F. B. Harris, of Mortons Gap, was here yesterday.

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Used in Millions of Homes!
Accept no substitute
Insist on LION COFFEE, in 1 lb. pkgs.

These articles mailed FREE in exchange for lion heads cut from 1 lb. LION COFFEE pkgs.

Gold Collar Button.

Mailed free for 12 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Made of rolled gold and pink mother-of-pearl. Gold collar button and pink mother-of-pearl.

This shape is handy and popular.

Daisy Neck-Pin.

Genuine Hard-Enamel and Gold.

For 18 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Illustration is only two-thirds actual size. Color a delicate pink, with jewel setting.

Box cannot fit easily in a hand pocket.

Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Stylish Belt-Buckle.

Handsome gold-plated, with pink mother-of-pearl finish, and set with pink colored jewel.

This will be welcomed by the ladies who like to wear different colored sashes. The gold-finish goes well with any color.

Given well for 20 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Ladies' Apron.

Made of quality lawn, with pink lace border and tucks; broad hem.

Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Child's Drawing Book.

A collection of nice outline pictures bound in cloth with tabs of tissue paper.

Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Fruit Picture.

Given for 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

50-Foot Clothes Line.

Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Naival Box Kite.

Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Razor.

Given for 32 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Rubber Dressing Comb.

Given for 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Game "India."

Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON III, SECOND QUARTER, INTER-
NATIONAL SERIES, APRIL 15.Text of the Lesson, Mark v. 22-24, 35-
42; Memory Verses, 30-42; Golden
Text, v. 23; Supplementary, Pre-
pared by Dr. R. D. M. Stevens.

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We are given the choice of an Easter lesson, but as the regular lesson happens to be a resurrection lesson and brings back to our minds the resurrection of Him who is the Resurrection and the Life, we will be content with it.

22. "Jairus, when he saw Jesus, fell at His feet. And he said, 'Lord, my daughter, this incident took place not in the order in which we have it here, but after nearly every other one of the gospels. We must go back before the order of events is not the main thing, but to see Him and know Him as truly God and truly man. God is love, and he that abides in love abideth, the world's Redeemer.' After He had healed the demoniac at Gadaræ and had his commission from the Lord, friends had been gathered together to look for him, and he had given them the Lord's blessing. When Jesus left them, the Gadarenes having besought Jesus to leave them, He recrossed the sea, and when He came to Peter, for His tares (verses 18-22; Luke viii, 40). If a dove of usefulness seems for any or for no reason closed another will surely open."

23. "He states his need and his request briefly and earnestly, and Jesus went with him. So did His disciples and many people. The sick child was an only daughter about 12 years of age, and she was dying (Luke iii, 42; Matt. ix, 19). Our Lord said, 'The girl is not dead, but sleepeth.' He took her by the hand, called her, and she arose. Her parents were overjoyed, but He called her out and surprised and comforted her: 'Daughter, be of good comfort. Thy faith hath made thee well.' (Luke viii, 48.) It was the only time, as far as we know, when He addressed us as 'you'—'ye'—'all ye'—'only ye'." As soon as Jesus heard the people give Jairus the sad news this is what He said to him. First we were told that Jesus had come to witness anointing the dead. What a comfort they have been to me! Compare II Chron. xx, 20, and John ii, 40; xx, 20; Luke i, 45. Luke says that Jesus had compassion on her, because she had made "a great noise" (Luke viii, 40). Jairus therefore had the assurance that his desire was to be granted. However, while the time was short, he seemed faith says, "I believe God that it shall be even as I was told" (Acts xxvi, 23). And when Jesus said, "The God has promised He is able to perform (Rom. iv, 21). He that cometh to God must believe. Without this faith it is impossible to please God" (Heb. xi, 6).

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When the committee waited on Walking Delegate Purcell and requested him to deposit the thousands of dollars of help promised, in Morton bank, with arrangements for the striking men to get the cash promised weekly, he replied that he had no money; and furthermore that the National organization only gave him \$900 for the strike, and that the press strike in Western Kentucky minus. Let the colored man think what this means: \$800 among 2,500 strikers without counting any in Hopkins County. Just 12 cents each to pay a miner for losing his job. Why a cheap lot of miners, this 2,500. Eight and one-half men for one dollar. Why, Doc Smith, and Ed Lovan offered \$20 for twenty Diamond "niggers," and didn't give one. Hopkins county men come high, and are not fools, either.

Giant credit is due Mr. W. H. Ross for his efforts in preventing honest Madisonville miners from being deceived and led astray by the lies of the gangs of walking delegates, who have roamed the streets of Madisonville for weeks past. Mr. Ross saved many men from losing good wages, and are not fools, either.

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